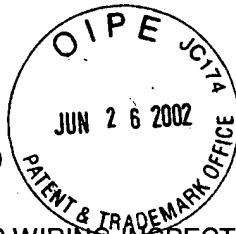


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Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference

In re Patent Application of
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Serial No. 09/437,226
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated _____ of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claims _____ (\$ 320.00)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	An appeal BRIEF is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the above-identified application (\$ 320.00)	\$ 320.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	An ORAL HEARING is requested under Rule 194 (\$ 280.00) (due within two months after Examiner's Answer)	\$ 0.00
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